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In re U.S. Patent No. 5,962,468

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For: 7-(4-AMINOMETHYL-3-METHYLOXYIMINOPYRROLIDIN-1-YL)-1-CYCLOPROPYL-6-FLUORO-4-OXO-1, 4-DIHYDRO-1, 8-NAPHTHYRIDINE-3-CARBOXYLIC, ACID AND THE PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION THEREOF **APPROVED**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 254 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, this is a request for the issuance of a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent. Two (2) copies of PTO Form 1050 are appended. The complete Certificate of Correction involves one (1) page.

The mistake identified in the appended Form occurred through the fault of the Office, as clearly disclosed by the records of the application. We have enclosed a copy of the relevant portion of the Preliminary Amendment filed on November 9, 1998, for your reference.

Issuance of the Certificate of Correction containing the correction is earnestly requested. Since this change is necessitated by an error on the part of the Patent and Trademark Office, no fee is believed to be associated with this request. Nonetheless, should the Patent and Trademark Office determine that a fee is required, please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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In re application of:

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Continuation of

Serial No.: 09/049,024 filed: March 27, 1998

For:

7-(4-AMINOMETHYL-3-METHYLOXYIMINOPYRROLIDIN-1-YL)-1-CYCLOPROPYL-6-FLUORO-4-OXO-1,4-DIHYDRO-1,8-NAPHTHYRIDINE-3-CARBOXYLIC ACID AND THE PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION

THEREOF

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination and calculation of claim fees, please amend the instant application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please insert the following sentence prior to the first paragraph of the specification -- This application is a continuation of Serial No. 09/049,024, filed March 27, 1998, which is a divisional of Serial No. 08/825,592, filed April 4, 1997, now U.S. Patent 5,776,944, which is a continuation-in-part of 08/490,978 filed June 15, 1995, now US Patent 5,633,992.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-16 and add new claims 17-28.